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Men Of Four Nations See British Artillery



Three continents are represented here. American army and airmen, Indian officers, British air force officers, and soldiers from far-off Thailand are seen together. They are watching the 1950

edition of the annual display of Britain's Royal School of Artillery on Salisbury Plain. Self-propelled field guns are blazing away at a target.

Jail Inspector Quits Post After Newspaper Expose

"No, Stott's through."
"I just got fed up."
These replies came from two different sources last week when a reporter for this paper, investigating rumors of upheaval in the provincial government over the long simmering Fort Saskatchewan jail scandal, made contact with ex-jail Inspector Stott, and his successor, Inspector Jakeman.

Jakeman said that Stott was no longer with the government, and Stott's admission of being "fed up" lent credence to the assumption that a recent series of articles in this newspaper on Fort Saskatchewan jail was one of the major factors behind his resignation.

The stories blasted the methods prevailing in the management of Fort Saskatchewan, and revealed how Stott had been unable to institute any important reforms in the prison since his appointment in 1948.

In a series of three articles on conditions in the Fort—the shame of Alberta—staff reporters revealed how the prison has been turned into a virtual criminal factory under the management of Warden J. D. McLean.

The stories cited signed statements from ex-prisoners who testified to extreme brutality and cruelty under McLean's domination.

The articles pointed out how the prison could become a place for the actual reform of men and women sentenced to serve time there, rather than a breeding place for crime and vice, which it now is.

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FORMER CROSSFIELD MAN, HIGHWAY INSPECTOR, RETIRES IN CALGARY

CROSSFIELD: — J. S. Jarman, 308A 38 Ave. W., provincial traffic board inspector at Calgary for the past 13 years, retired Friday last at the age of 65. His successor is Maurice Jones, inspector at Drumheller for the past 10 years.

Arriving in Canada in 1905 from England, Mr. Jarman joined the Royal North West Mounted Police and came to Alberta in 1907. He served with the RNWMP for 13 years and then with the Alberta Provincial for 15 years. He was appointed to the newly organized traffic board in 1937 after retiring from police work.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fike were Crossfield visitors during last week.

Fred and Mrs. Heywood visited relatives and friends in town last week.

During the last two weeks the members of the Young Matron's Sewing have had as their hostesses Mrs. Marge Fox and Mrs. Mary-Karen Bills. The members all reported a very nice time in each home although inclement weather was experienced when the roads a bit difficult.

Rev. and Mrs. Anderson and daughter Birgit returned from their vacation at Anglemont, B.C., feeling much better for their outing.

Mrs. Charles Aldred is taking X-ray treatment in Calgary for three weeks, going down by car each day.

Rain means that be the order of the day lately in Crossfield. Some swathing has been done and it is to be hoped the sun shines soon—with no frosts.

Stories went into thousands of homes in the province.

The stories marked the first time that conditions in Fort Saskatchewan were ever revealed for what they actually are—shocking and degrading for a modern province such as Alberta.

TEACHERS IN OLDS SCHOOL DIVISION NAMED FOR YEAR 1950-51

DIDSBURY. — Teachers for the 1950-51 school year in Olds School Division will be as follows:

Bancroft—Mrs. Marjorie Fisher.
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Bergen—Edith Hodges.
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Collingwood—Mr. Carl Dick.
Cremona—Mr. R. Bowman.
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Dog Pound—Mrs. M. Bagnall.
Eagle Hill No. 1—Miss Grace Edler.
Eagle Hill No. 2—Mrs. Ruth Webster.
Eagle Valley—Mrs. Alma Dible.
Elkton—Mrs. H. Erickson.
Ennerdale—Mrs. Laura Blue.
Fallen Timber—Mrs. Leda Cooper.
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Miss B. Clark, Mrs. Dagne Maertza.
Garnet—Mr. Leslie Colbo.
Gore—Mrs. Annie Booker.
Graham—Mrs. Clarice McKean.
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Harmattan—Mr. R. Bisieker, Mrs. H. McPherson.
Harmattan—Mr. R. Bisieker, Mrs. R. Anderson.
Huntell—Mrs. Emma Shiels.
Inverness—Mrs. E. H. Gaunce.
Jackson—Mrs. A. Owens.
Jutland—Mr. J. Harder.
Lobley—Mrs. Grace Paterson.
Lone Pine—Dorothy E. Charlton.
May City—Mrs. Jean Weltz.
Mayton—Mr. Alfred Lenz.
Mona—Mrs. Atkinson.
Mount Hope—Miss E. B. Adams.
McDougal Flat—Mrs. F. Corless.
Neapolis—Mr. H. E. Allan.
New Berthall—Mr. M. Hawreliak, Mrs. Annie B. Dann.
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Red Ranch—Mrs. Laura Vogel.
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Ruby—Miss Marianne McKinnon.
Salem—Mr. E. SShantz, Mr. H. Dawson.
Sams—Mr. Lloyd Strong.
Siebertville—Louise Epps.
Springside—Mr. W. D. Thompson.
Stuart—Miss Joyce Dundas.
Sundre—Mr. J. B. Weir, Mr. D. Sandulak, Mrs. Doris Conway.
Mrs. Jean McLeod, Mrs. P. Anderson, Mr. A. E. McCrimmon, Mrs. Ruth Sandulak, Mrs. H. Halvorson.
Sunny Ridge—Miss Mildred Maden.
Sunyslope—Mrs. M. Owens.
Tany-Bryn—Mr. W. V. Pauls.
Torrington—Mr. O. W. Shype, Mrs. E. Lehman, Mrs. M. Dean.
Vale View—Mr. James Hagedorn.
Waterloo—Miss L. McEwen.
Waterside—Mrs. L. Bishop.
Water Valley—Mr. Steven R. Switlick, Miss Marie Castle.
Westcott—Mr. E. Konschuh.
Westerdale—Miss D. Bishop.
West Hope—Mrs. Pearl R. Stone.
Westward Ho—Mr. George Searlet.
Zella—Miss Belle Wallace.

APPEALS FOR ROAD SAFETY

Hon. C. E. Gerhart, provincial secretary, has issued an appeal and message to motorists as follows:

"Let us all work together to see that the delights of the summer and autumn months are not spoiled by any tragic toll of death and injury due to traffic accidents."

"Let us be specially thoughtful of the strangers in our midst, the tourists, bearing in mind that they expect from us the courtesy we would expect from them if we were the guests and they the hosts."

"Accidents are 'bad business' in more than one sense and costly in human producing power to say nothing of the suffering caused to the victim and his relatives."

"The family car was designed to be a source of pleasure. Carelessly or foolishly handled it can be turned into a dangerous instrument of destruction. Which of these is your car going to be?"

MADDEN MURMURS

Miss Kay Conterax who visited at the H. Walsh home for the past two weeks has returned to her home in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Reg Giles had as their guests, the former's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Giles of Oakland, Calif.

Mrs. James Hamilton and daughters are visitors at Delburne.

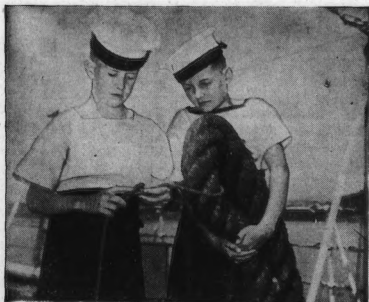
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—THE EDITOR.

Feature Page

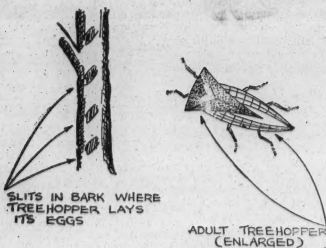
Sea Cadets Take On Big Job



Alberta has its famous Lac la Biche sea cadets, who recently completed a voyage down the North Saskatchewan in their own boat, and seen here are some B.C. youngsters who recently spent a week aboard HMCS Ontario off Vancouver Island, learning the rigors of sea life.

By DEAN BALLIDAY
Released by Central Press Canadian

Weekly Garden-Graph



Rough, scaly, cracked appearance of the bark on branches and twigs of fruit trees in the home garden may be the first indication that treehoppers are present. They especially like apple, peach, pear, cherry and quince trees. Prepare to battle them for trees or branches infested by treehoppers will never make vigorous growth.

In early fall the treehopper deposits its eggs in the bark of its favorite fruit trees or certain ornamental trees. The female has a sharp cutting tool with which she makes slits in the bark of trunk, branches or twigs. Through these slits she forces her eggs into the inner bark. The scar resulting from these slits later separates to form the double crescent shown in the accompanying Garden-Graph. The wounds offer entrance for disease organisms.

When the egg-laying period is over the adults of the treehopper die. An adult treehopper is illustrated. The eggs remain embedded in the bark during winter. In the spring they hatch out into tiny nymphs, which drop from the trees and feed on weeds and grasses. They in turn reach the adult stage in August.

Tree sanitation is the best method of controlling treehoppers. This means keeping down all weeds and grassy growth under and around trees apt to be infested by treehoppers.

To kill the overwintering eggs of this pest spray infested trees with a dormant spray of six per cent oil. The use of dormant sprays after the foliage has dropped has been found to kill from 75 to 100 per cent of the eggs so cunningly hidden by the female treehopper.

Treehoppers, incidentally, are rat cousins to the pestiferous leathopper.



BING CROSBY, still as popular as ever, has now initiated his son Gary, into show business. They're heard together on a new platter, 'Play Some Simple Melody,' on which Gary does most of the singing. It's good!

Rescues Boy Before 2,000



While 2,000 persons watched, Donald Longevin, left, jumped from a high bridge over the Welland river near Niagara Falls, Ont., and swam to the rescue of nine-year-old Michael Wylie, who was being swept away by the river current. Rescue occurred during near-by Chippewa's centennial celebration.

THE OLD HOME TOWN

—BY STANLEY



SCOTT'S SCRAP BOOK

—By R. J. SCOTT

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MUGGS AND SKEETER

—By WALLY BISHOP



Spotlight on . . .

ALBERTA

A News Section About Alberta People,
Week Ending Sept. 2, 1950

Will Take Months to Overcome Effects of Railway Strike

By RAYMOND ARGYLE

Canada's national railway strike has already done its damage to Alberta's economy. The national walk-out of 24,000 rail workers disrupted the economy to the point where it will be months before distributive facilities can get back to normal, with supplies moving freely to all parts of the province and country.

While Alberta wasn't the hardest hit of any province—Ontario's northland has suffered most—the giant oil, construction, meat packing and coal mining industries came almost to a halt as a result of the railway walk-out.

In the mighty Redwater oil fields 600 wells were shut down when the strike entered its third day. Drilling operations could not continue due to a shortage of rail-borne steel from the east, and the delivery of petroleum products, made impossible due to the lack of rail transportation, forced the shut-down.

Among the hardest hit financially were the oilwell drillers, who were forced to keep rigs standing by, waiting for pipe. Cost of stand-by time is \$500 a day.

Work was also slowed on the interprovincial oil pipelines, as there wasn't enough pipe on hand to complete the last 46 miles of the line.

With no livestock being shipped to the Edmonton packing plants, processing of meat for local consumption only could be continued. On the farms shortages of binder twine, tractor fuel, and machine replacement parts was reported.

About 8,000 coal miners in Alberta were forced to leave their jobs as the strike continued over last week-end. Only the small mines, where coal is taken out by truck, continued to operate. Some men were kept busy at maintenance work, but the majority were laid off, with loss of production running into many thousands of tons per day.

Postal service was the most notable example of what a rail strike could do to the economy. Although buses were pressed into service, and air services were stepped up, only first class mail was delivered, and the delivery of parcels was suspended.

In the bustling construction industry shortage of supplies created slow-downs on many big projects.

Non-delivery of structural steel, needed for the big office and apartment buildings arising in Edmonton and Calgary, forced suspension of work in many instances.

But the far northwest—usually the most unreliable section of Canada for the maintenance of communications—suffered little in this respect as the army's northwest communication system kept messages flowing freely.

Dates Listed In Railway Dispute

Major dates in the railway wage-hour strike:

May 17th, 1949—Unions announce demands for higher pay and shorter hours.

July 16th—Wage contracts expire.

Oct. 11th—Negotiations fail and labor department sends in conciliation officers.

Oct. 20th—Unions ask appointment of conciliation boards.

April 15th, 1950—Boards report, proposing compromise solution.

April 24th—Canadian unions with 34,000 members reject board proposals.

May, June, July—Unions take strike votes of membership.

August 1st—Unions notify railways that members authorize strike unless satisfactory settlement obtained.

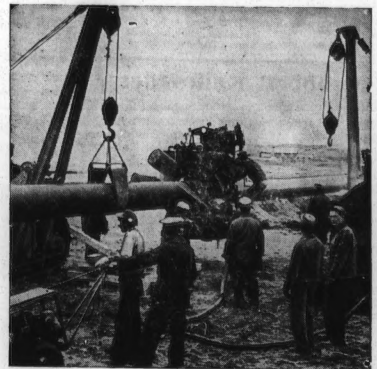
August 2nd—Unions issue strike call for Aug. 22nd; railways announce new compromise offer going beyond board report.

Aug. 10th—Railways make "final" offer; unions reject it.

Aug. 18th—New negotiations break down after railways revive previously-rejected "final" offer and unions recede somewhat on time for 40-hour week; government appoints Dr. W. A. Mackintosh, economist, as mediator.

Aug. 22nd—Mediation talks end in no settlement; strike begins.

Pipeline Spreads Across Prairie



Pipeline from the Alberta oil fields to Lake Superior is spreading across the plains at the rate of a mile a day. Heavy machinery is putting the sections, welded, insulated and painted, into a shallow trench at record-making speed. Pipeline starts at Redwater, by-passed South Edmonton at the big oil refineries, and dips southeast through Cooking Lake, Hardisty, Hughenden and Provost. Pipeline will be finished in six weeks, but it will be six months before the oil is flowing.

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Alta, Hail Damage Running High

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'Dejobbed' Railroader

Nearly 200,000 Canadian railroad employees will feel something in common with the plight of an African clerk, who was dismissed from service of the Gold Coast Railways. His plaintive letter, published in a British paper, was sent to us through Nancy Coxford, local editor, Mannville Mirror, and reprinted here:

"Kind Sir—On the opening of this letter, you will behold the work of a dejobbed person and a very bewilded and much childerized gentleman, who was violently dejobbed in a twinkling of your goodself. For Heaven's sake, Sir, consider this catastrophe as falling on your own head and remind yourself walking home at the moon's end to five savage wives and 16 voracious children with a pocket filled with non-existent \$ s. d. Not a solitary sixpence, pity my horrible state.

"When being dejobbed I proceeded with a heart filled with misery to this den of doom, myself did greedily contemplate culpable homicide, but Him who protected Daniel safely through the Lion's Den will protect this servant in his hour of evil. As to reason given by yourself, Esquire, for my dejobment, the incrimination was laziness. No, Sir, it was impossible.

"I hope this vision of horror will enrich your dreams this night, and a good angel will meet and pulverise your heart of millstone so that you will awaken and with as much alacrity as may be compatible with your personal safety, hasten to rejobbate your servant and 'So more it be Amen.' "Yours despairfully, Daniel Adjise."

Will German Soldiers Defend Europe?

Facing the overwhelming number of Russian divisions in Europe, the western nations have been tentatively considering the possibility of using German soldiers in the common defense of the West.

Under the pressure of the Communist threat the former enemies of Germany, despite fear of reviving German military power, are beginning to believe that the use of German soldiers is less dangerous than the possibility of Russian invasion.

The Germans, however, suggest that a genuine federation of Europe should come first and the use of the German soldiers afterwards. Prof. Carlo Schmidt, speaking as a member of the German delegation to the Council of Europe, points out that in a strong state the army is servant but in a weak state the army is master. Germany, he said, is not a strong state.

Recognizing that some of Germany's neighbors are concerned about Germany military power, if it revives, Herr Schmidt sought to prevent this psychological disturbance to European unity by insisting that a genuine European federation, in setting up a real European army, could use Germany without danger to other nations.

Fly-Blowing The Churches

Every once in a while you run across a citizen who tries to impress you with the broadness of his religious viewpoint by taking a pot-shot at the churches of the nation.

The speaker will tell about helping other human beings in distress and exhibit every sign of an assumed superiority over those who worship in organized churches in the name of their religion.

It is rather seldom that these talkers realize that without the organized churches of the past, it is highly improbable that they would know very much about religion. It is worse than that. Without the organized churches of the past, there is doubt if our present civilization would be even vaguely as good as it is. The critics of the church are quite willing to accept the fruits of its work but they are not always just enough to give credit where credit is due.

The Great God Frank Hall

By T. W. PUE

Whenever a mere human is given the power of life and death over his fellows, he is usually deified by those whose life he threatens, or those whose life he deigns to spare. Such is the case with Railway Union leader, the Great and Glorious Frank Hall.

There aren't many places in this great country of ours that are wholly dependent upon the railroads—thank Heaven, but Altkokan and other small communities north of Fort William have no other means of securing the essentials of existence except via the railroad.

Every other area in Canada is served by road or air or boats not tied in with the transportation strike but not Altkokan. So, if there were no trains to this point the people would starve to death. And who was it who decided whether these people would live or die? None other than the Almighty Frank Hall, dictator of Canadian Labor, who COULD have refused to let his "mercy" train through, and hence use as a bludgeon on the railroad management the lives of helpless and defenceless men, women and children, to secure his aims.

That this Great Despot chose to let these people live must be a matter of great personal satisfaction to them. That this country permits the lives of its people to be let or withheld at the whim of any man, labor leader or other, is a matter of national shame and disgrace.

Why Papers Are Late

Last week we carried on our schedule of printing Community Publications newspapers the same as any other week. But because of the railway strike, the Post Office Department was accepting for delivery only first class mail. We felt pretty certain the day the strike was called, that it would not last past the end of the week—but it did. Hence we kept papers at the plant, in their mail bags, for a few days.

We were instructed by the Edmonton Post Office to take the mail bags to Postal Terminal "A" which handles magazine and newspaper mailings, at the CNR station. Terminal "A" is operated by the Post Office Department—not the CNR—but enthusiastic pickets nevertheless refused us the right to take the mail bags to the Terminal, where they were to be weighed in, marked "Postage paid," and dispatched by Bus Express to postmasters for distribution to subscribers.

But two enthusiastic picketers refused us the right to make deliveries to His Majesty's Postal Station. If this strike keeps on much longer they will be picketing every post office. You won't be able to buy a postage stamp unless the Great Despot says you can.

Parliament Will Act

But we believe it won't be long now, until this paralysis of national life is ended. The Prime Minister gave both sides a fair proposition; they could either save their differences on their own terms, or legislation banning this and future Public Utilities strikes would force them back to work.

Mr. St. Laurent intends to demonstrate that the Canadian people are greater and more powerful than railway tycoons or despotic union leaders who claim the power of life and death over our nation.

Scriptural Meditations

"Pray in your closet; and as you go about your daily labor, let your heart be often uplifted to God. It was thus that Enoch walked with God. These silent prayers rise like precious incense before the throne of grace. Satan cannot overcome him whose heart is thus stayed upon God."

"There is no time or place in which it is inappropriate to offer up a petition to God. There is nothing that can prevent us from lifting up our hearts in the spirit of earnest prayer."

"In the crowds of the street, in the midst of a business engagement, we may send up a petition to God, and plead for divine guidance, as did Nehemiah when he made his request before King Artaxerxes."

"A close of communion may be found wherever we are. We should have the door of the heart open continually, and our invitation going up that Jesus may come and abide as a heavenly guest in the soul."

Final Lesson Needed

Harold—When the postman comes I'm going to walk up within an inch of your life.

Jack—Why wait for the postman?

Harold—I'm taking a boxing course by correspondence.

The Gathering Storm!



Although Communist aggression has made sweeping advances in Korea, the gathering storm of U.S. might soon blot out Red Korea victory hopes.

Voice of the People

"VOX POPULI, VOX DEI"

On Shopping

Dear Sir—Recently in your paper I read an editorial saying that people should shop in their home district. Well, I guess you are right and I would like to do that, but do you know that last Saturday I went to three stores before I could even buy a sport shirt to fit me? It's that kind of service that sends shoppers to bigger shopping centres.

South Edmonton.

In Fairness to All

Dear Sir—The article, "Religious intolerance charges are aired again in Quebec" in your Aug. 16 issue, ends rather abruptly, due to a typographical error, no doubt.

The omission of the remainder of the article, although unintentional, is unfortunate nevertheless since it could give your readers the wrong impression, especially when, according to your title, religious intolerance might appear, at first glance, to be synonymous with Quebec.

The legislators of that province have done as much as is possible, as a law-giving body, i.e., they have granted all religious minorities the right to religious freedom including the practice of proselytizing. In all fairness, I believe this fact should have been included in your article.

In these days, when co-operation between all Canadians, irrespective of creed or racial origin, is especially essential for the common good, such incidents should be viewed in their true light as isolated, regrettable cases of lack of restraint and of more zeal than good judgment on the part of some street preachers.

It may very well be, and justly so, that a number of citizens of these communities strongly resent an implication that they are lacking in religious instruction.

RCAF.

Juke Box Curse

The modern inventions that do the most harm to the railroads aren't buses, trucks or airplanes. They're juke boxes and radios.

We railroad men have to work all night and try to sleep all day. But how can you sleep at three

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Falsies

The worst modern invention has nothing to do with railways. They are falsies, the only real improvement on nature. The darn things often look more natural than nature's gift. What bothers me is that a particular girl is trying to take my girl friend. I know she's flat as a pancake, but how can I tell him? He'd think I'm jealous.

FIFI.

Lac la Biche.

Copacetic

In a recent article Mr. Pue used the word "Copacetic" and it has been in my mind ever since. I hadn't read it or heard of it spoken for some five years. Is it American slang? If so how did it get into use? Just what does it mean?

R. M.

Smoky Lake.

Editor's Note: The late Bill Robinson is credited with originating the catch phrase, "Everything's Copacetic." Means fine, dandy, to-o-the-World."

Party Politics

If the Conservative party had been a believer in the free enterprise system in 1946 when the U.K.-Canada Wheat Agreement was proposed by the Gardiner-Howe-Mackinnon Liberal triumvirate, and had taken a strong stand against the policy of bulk trading between governments, the Tories could make much political capital out of the now tragic failure of that Agreement.

As it is, Liberals, Tories, and C.C.F.s are all painted with the same brush which led to a \$267 million loss for Canadian wheat growers. The farmers' bankbooks are, however, no more in the red than our politicians' faces.

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON:

Mary, Mother of Jesus
Is Unparalleled Story

No series of lessons on the great men and women of the Bible would be complete without study of Mary, the mother of Jesus.

However, we know very little about her from an historical standpoint. We do not know who her parents were, only that Elizabeth, the mother of John the Baptist, was her cousin.

It is a strange fact that none of the biographies we have of Jesus relate anything about the years he spent as a child and young man in Nazareth. Following the return of Mary and Joseph from Egypt with the baby Jesus, they settled in Nazareth. The next we hear of the family is upon the occasion of their trip to Jerusalem, when the boy Jesus was twelve years of age. All we know of their home life is summed up, however, in Luke 2: 54, "And Jesus grew in wisdom and stature and in favor with God and man."

Only in a home of love, helpfulness, thoughtfulness, care and consideration does a child grow in all phases—mentally, physically and socially. Thus, we can assume that the home over which Mary presided was such a home. The years Jesus spent in the home with his mother, Mary, were very important—more important than many mothers realize, for "As the twig is bent, so grows the tree."

We are told that Joseph, the father in the home, died when Jesus was a young boy and, after that, of course, his whole training was in the hands of his mother. Hers must have been an unusual home to have produced such a spirit as his.

Oftentimes, the scriptures tell us that Mary "kept all these things in her heart." She fought her battles silently in her heart, all the way from Bethlehem to Galvary. She realized her sacred task

of rearing a gifted Son for a heavenly mission. Her task was to rear him, to protect him, to keep him from exhaustion. However, he could not let her anxiety much as it troubled him, prevent him from doing his great work. Much as this must have disturbed her, her care of him in Nazareth, her concern for him during his exhausting ministry, her faith in him as he hung on the cross and died, have put her among the first saints of the Christian church. Unto the end, she believed in her Son.

The world today needs more mothers like Mary. The need is for mothers who put their homes first. Dr. James I. Vance, in One Hundred Best Sermons, declared: "The revival of the home is more important than the revival of the

church! The home is older in God's plan. It is basic. No revival in the church gets far enough nor lasts long enough, which does not affect the home. The church is the important institution of society, save one. It is more important than the shop or the school or the state, but it is not more important than the home. The character of the church is fixed by the home. There is not much future for any church which does not have behind its altar a fireside.

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Community Publications was founded in Hughenden, Alberta, August 22, 1946, when T. W. Pue took over five small country weeklies. In 1948 the firm moved to

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Publication of the South Edmonton Sun started in September, 1949. In less than a year it had become organized as one of Canada's leading weekly papers.

Anniversary of the firm was also the birthday of Mrs. Pue and one of the staff members, Don Fraser, a pressman.

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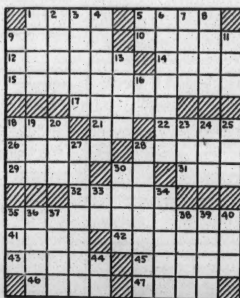
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 9. A cleansing plant
 10. Rowed
 12. Tendons
 14. Mount upward
 15. Abrupt
 17. Exchange
 21. Erbium (abbr.)
 22. Prevalent
 28. Alloy
 29. English city
 30. Greek letter
 31. Moslem time
 32. Ages
 35. Puzzling
 41. Slip (Prov.)
 42. Capital (Albania)
 43. American Indians
 45. Catcher of eels
 46. Groove
 47. Pack away
- DOWN**
1. Arabian chieftain
 2. Departed
 3. Select
 4. Wires again
 5. Therefore
 6. Teamsters
 7. Operatic melody
 8. Finest
 9. Viper (Ger.)
 11. River (Scott.)
 13. Mast
 16. Fish
 18. Warp-yarn
 19. Constellation (Rum.)
 20. Rodent
 23. River
 24. Haze
 25. Outcast
 26. class (Jap.)
 27. Made rough
 28. Pet name for aunts
 30. Ditch
 31. Type
 33. Measure
 34. River
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Keeping slim, is more than a matter of beauty. It is also a matter of health. Scientists now know that persons who are overweight are far more likely to succumb to many illnesses than those of normal weight. Controlled diet under the supervision of a physician is the best way of losing weight.

Super-Snacks

With children back at school, mothers should make sure that nighttime lunches are attractively packed and well stuffed with nutritious foods. The noon-time meal should be more than a snack—it should contain its full share of nutrients.

Unnecessary Deaths

Last year well over 100 Canadian children died from whooping cough. Their deaths were unnecessary because their parents failed to protect them by vaccination. Don't listen to old-fashioned tales that vaccination is dangerous. It may save your child's life. Ask your family doctor about it today.

September Dangers

Flies can be just as dangerous in September as they are in July. Make sure that insects and pests are kept out of your house right up till the cold weather starts. Flies and other insects are dangerous carriers of disease. Kill them on sight.

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Letter to Louisa

'Temper Tantrums' of Boy Problem of Alberta Girl

Dear Louisa: I am engaged to a boy who has many fine qualities, but who also has one trait that worries me a great deal.

It is that he seems incapable of discussing any question with me without getting angry. As long as I agree with everything he says, everything goes along smoothly, but when I express a different opinion he seems to take it as a personal affront and usually ends up by telling me of my shortcomings.

Of course all of this is very disagreeable and I certainly do not expect him to agree with me on everything. I am so upset over this bad habit of his that I am seriously thinking of calling the whole thing off. What would you advise?

ENGAGED.

Answer:

It all depends on whether you will be happier with him, regardless of this annoying trait, or without him altogether.

Marriage with him will probably mean a series of temper tantrums unless you decide to become a rubber stamp and outwardly agree with everything he says or does. Some women seem to find such an existence very pleasant as long as they get the other things they want, and these are the women who are usually showered with gifts.

Others, however, find it hard to say that a color is white if it looks grey to them or that they like the seashore better if they really prefer the mountains. From your letter I judge that you fit in with the second group and it may pay you to look

around a while longer before you sign up with this boy for life.

LOUISA.

Dear Louisa:

I have married into a family of super-housekeepers. My mother-in-law and two sisters-in-law keep spotless houses with everything in place and the children either confined to their playroom or outdoors. They work at housekeeping practically all of their working hours and have very little time to give to outside interests.

I like for things to be clean, but I also like to take a part in community affairs. Don't you think that housekeeping can be carried too far?

YOUR WIFE.

Answer:

There is a happy medium in keeping house as well as everything else. No one enjoys living in a cluttered up, dusty house, but it is almost as bad to live in one when you feel that everything must be kept exactly in place and you are afraid to come in the front door or walk on the rugs.

Keep your home clean but don't give it all of your time.

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20th Century FARM NEWS

First Harvesters Arrive From East on Prairies

The first forerunners of the annual east-west harvest workers arrived on the prairies last Saturday and more are expected this week.

According to Fred J. White, Regional Superintendent, of the Unemployment Insurance Commission, plans for the annual harvest movement have all been completed and the movement of eastern men to the western harvest fields will begin on a large scale, Aug. 31.

Daily arrivals in Winnipeg, according to Mr. White, should number about 125 to 150 per day. That number will probably be increased the last week of August as the demand for harvest help increases and provided, of course, that men are available in eastern Canada.

According to Mr. White's latest information a total of 2,400 men will be required to harvest grain in the prairie provinces this fall.

Current reports on eastern labor conditions indicate that there is a heavy demand from logging companies in Ontario and Quebec for workers suitable to their needs. This may reduce the number of potential harvesters very slightly but Mr. White gave assurance that National Employment Service offices will be able to meet the western demand.

One factor, however, which farmers must consider if they experience any delay in getting harvest help promptly is that harvesting is likely to start almost simultaneously in the three prairie provinces. Ordinarily, according to Mr. White, the Manitoba crop is ready for harvest a week or ten days before the Alberta crop is ready.

This year it is anticipated that crops will ripen in the three prairie provinces at nearly the same time. Mr. White anticipates that this condition will result in a heavy demand for harvest help. Despite this fact, he is quite optimistic that the National Employment Service will be able to meet the demand.

Group To Study Prairie Farm Act

The Alberta Federation of Agriculture as a result of numerous complaints that have been reported to its office has appointed a committee to make a careful study of the rules and regulations under the Prairie Farm Assistance Act and their application.

The committee held its first meeting in Edmonton on August 8. This meeting was in the nature of a preliminary survey of the Act and regulations. The members also planned what steps should be taken in carrying out its work as effectively as possible. It is planning two meetings during the fall months, one to be held in Calgary and the second at Edmonton.

In the meantime the committee is anxious to receive suggestions and advice from interested parties throughout the country. Any submissions made in this regard should be made to the members of the committee or direct to the Federation office, 515 Loughheed Building, Calgary.

The committee is being chaired by Mr. Roy C. Marler, president of the AFPA. The other members are Mr. George Tindall, J., of Fabyan and Mr. Jake Frey from Arneson. Mr. J. R. McFall is acting as secretary.

It is hoped that such an approach to this problem will help to remove injustices where they may or do occur and will also help to clear up any misunderstanding of the Act and its regulations.



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From Manitoba there are 232 and 108 from Alberta.

Total entries are below the number last year. A late seeding season over all the grain growing area of the prairies and in Manitoba the latest on record, has perhaps been the main reason for the decrease.

The deadline date for making entries was advanced two weeks to July 15 but generally the crop is from three weeks to a month late.

Director of Barley Improvement Institute in charge of the contest, T. J. Harrison, says the likely chief reason for the reduced entry list is that experienced barley growers know they are not so likely to produce high quality maturing barley from late sown crops. The odds are too much against it.

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The two most common defects that were observed during the past school year were carious teeth and anemia. Many parents feel that baby teeth do not require much care. However, if we remember that many of the teeth found to have cavities at the ages of six and seven years should normally last until 15 years of age or even longer, it would seem that early attention to such defects will do much to enable the child to maintain a better standard of nutrition.

With regard to anemia, your health unit had a careful estimation made of the iron content of the blood of 76 children from Leduc school in June, 1950. The results showed that 17 per cent of these children had an insufficient amount of iron in their blood, resulting in the majority of instances in decreased endurance of physical effort and in some cases of a lowered vitality and increased difficulty in performing the numerous tasks required of them in school. The

causes of anemia are many but probably the most noteworthy is insufficient intake of iron-containing foods such as green leafy vegetables, liver, eggs, lean meats, oatmeal porridge, etc. Another cause believed to be important is the occurrence of frequent infections during the winter months or long continued infections such as occur in children with abscessed teeth, chronic infections of the ears, etc. It then becomes important to make certain in every instance that the child is helped to recover from such infections as quickly as possible and is brought back to a normal state of health through special treatments and the maintenance of an adequate diet.

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Farmers' Union Board Holds Meeting

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Financing of sub-districts came in for considerable discussion and a motion calling for a district dues refund of 10 cents to each respective sub-district was carried, effective as of Nov. 1st. Resolutions on amendments to the County Act and the Municipal Districts Act were carried. Mr. A. Milasp was chosen district delegate to the 1950 annual provincial convention in December, with Mr. Wm. Unterschultz of Fort Saskatchewan as alternate delegate. The district executive was appointed as a delegation to interview the pro-

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vincial executive, if deemed necessary, in order to carry out the mandate of the district convention, with respect to AFA constitutional violation.

Some discussion centred around recent changes in the act regarding electrical wiring, but no concrete action taken. The board required Mr. Leonty of Shalka, as 1950-51 secretary-treasurer, and chose R. Koenig of Lamont to the position of assistant secretary. Meeting adjourned at 10:30 p.m. Next meeting is to be held at the call of the president.

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FOR SALE—John Deere Model "D" tractor on steel drive belt in running condition. Cheap for cash. Call or write B. Mumby, Egrement, Alta. PA-26-5-1

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FOR SALE—Ford-Perguson tractor, 1947 model, on rubber, A1 shape. Also quantity household furniture. Apply Eric Carter, Darwell, Alta. PA-26-8-2

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FOR SALE MISC.

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FOR SALE MISC.

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LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Purse containing articles of value and urgently needed. Key, pair of glasses, wrist watch, wallet containing membership card, valuable medical prescription needed urgently. Lost outside Sanguo community hall. Finder please return to Anne Zuk, 10511 92 Street. Phone 42291. C-5-2

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MISCELLANEOUS

ANY young girl from 12 to 15 or older interested in finding a boarding place, apply Mrs. Josephine St. Jean of Edmonton, Alta. P-8-2-9

NOTICE—We have recently been appointed local agent for the Canadian Granite and Marble Co. In memorials or monuments we can offer you a wide selection from which to choose. Your inquiries will be welcomed. Call or write Leslie Hughes, Agent, Mayertorpe, Alta. C-TF

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REAL ESTATE

FOR SALE—Southwest quarter of section nineteen (19), township forty-two (42) west of the fourth meridian (W 4th). Known as Norman McKenzie farm. Taxes paid to date. All reasonable offers accepted. Apply Mrs. Mary McKenzie, 11925 129 Ave., Edmonton, Alta. C-TF

FOR SALE—65 acres of land joining hamlet of Cherhill, six-room house, 3 cabins occupied year around, good garage, barn, chicken house, pig pens and small granary; all fenced and cross fenced; 2 good drilled wells one in house, other in garage, with good pumps. Grand sight for tourist camp. A weather highway by door, 65 miles from Edmonton. Apply W. J. Bean, Cherhill, Alta. CA-19-26-8-2

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TV Course Planned In Toronto

Top men in Canadian television, including two from CBC, met recently at the Ryerson Institute of Technology in Toronto to plan Canada's first extensive educational course in TV broadcasting, to be offered at the Institute in the fall.

Designed for men and women who expect to make their living from television, the course is non-technical but covers all aspects of television programming and broadcasting. With advancement of the new medium in the United States, Canadian actors and actresses, advertising executives, producers and program directors have been asking for some time that such a course be organized.

REAL ESTATE

(Continued)

FOR SALE—Garage in country town on main highway. Frame building, 40x50. Garage \$4,500. Tools and equipment about \$2,500. Paid at invoice price. Apply Box 5, Community Publications, 10815 Whyte Ave., Edmonton, Alta. CA-26-8-2-2-2

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RENTALS

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WANTED—Four- or five-room unfurnished house near Canora school in Jasper Place, with water and power. Contact T. F. Presbury, Stony Plain, Alta. or phone 86458. C-5-1

LIGHT Housekeeping room, suitable for couple. Apply Gibson's Barber and Beauty Shop, 15216 Stony Plain Road. Phone 81296

WANTED MISC.

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WANTED—Your Classified Ad in this paper will get you the results you really get results. Write 10815 Whyte Ave., or phone 34863.

News-Gathering on the Spot



Complete mobile newspaper office was recently put into operation by the Birmingham "Post and Mail", operating in the English Midlands. At first glance it appears to be a modern luxury touring coach. It actually houses a linotype machine, photographic dark room, printing machine, and other news paper equipment. It actually prints newspapers on the run through the villages.

Catholics Sternly Warned In New Vatican Encyclical

A stern warning to the faithful was issued this week by Pope Pius XII of the Church of Rome in an important new encyclical, "Humani Generis," in which the pontiff stressed that Catholics must abide stringently by their doctrine.

The Pope condemned the theory that the human race evolves from other parents than Adam and Eve. In blasting this theory of polygenism, the Pope said that "the faithful cannot embrace that opinion which maintains that after Adam there existed on this earth true men who did not take their origin through natural generation from him."

The title of the encyclical, "Humani Generis," (of mankind) is taken from the first two words of its Latin text.

In the words of its introduction, the encyclical deals with "some false opinions which threaten to undermine the foundations of Catholic doctrine."

The Pope also warned that Roman Catholics must make no reservation in their faith, even in zealous efforts to bring about a united Christendom. Any such concession, said the pontiff, will play into the hands of Communism.

Chief dangers of error warned against in the encyclical were: 1. Evolution: "The teaching authority of the church does not forbid research and discussion on the doctrine of evolution in as far as it inquires into the origin of the human body as coming from pre-existing and living matter."

"Some, however, rashly transgress this liberty of discussion when they act as if the origin of the human body from pre-existing and living matter were already completely certain and proved by the facts."

2. Polygenism: "The faithful cannot embrace that opinion which maintains either that after Adam there existed on this earth true men who did not take their origin through natural generation from him as from the first parent of all, or that Adam represents a certain number of first parents."

3. Too free interpretation of the Old Testament: "The first 11 chapters of Genesis, although properly speaking not conforming to the historical method used by the best Greek and Latin writers or by competent authors of our times, do nevertheless pertain to history in a true sense, and in simple and metaphorical language adapted to the mentality of a people but little cultivated, state both the principal truths which are fundamental for our salvation and also give a popular description of the origin of the human race and the chosen people."



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How to Collect. In collecting weeds for identification be sure and secure complete plant specimens. By a complete weed specimen we mean one which possesses all the essential plant parts—roots, stems, leaves and flowers or seeds. In the case of perennial weeds, underground parts such as bulbs or "rootstocks" must be necessary for correct identification.

How to Send. First of all shake or wash all soil from the roots and stems and dry thoroughly to prevent molding. If more than one weed is sent in for identification be sure to number and wrap each sample separately. Newspapers are excellent for wrapping. Pack the individually wrapped samples in a carton or box and deliver them to your local grain buyer, or mail directly to Line Elevators Farm Service, Winnipeg.

Farmers may also, of course, have weeds identified by sending them to any one of the following: (1) Your Provincial or Territorial Agricultural Representative, (2) Your nearest Dominion Experimental Station, (3) Your Experiment Station, (4) The Division of Botany, Science Service, Ottawa. The important point is that you have unknown weeds identified—something.

Our 80-page bulletin "An Illustrated Guide to Prairie Weeds" is available to farmers free of charge. Write to your local grain buyer, or write to Line Elevators Farm Service, Winnipeg or Calgary, for a copy.

Former Crossfield Man Retires in Calgary

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have as their guests the latter's parents from the coast. Mr. and Mrs. Knight, who arrived just ahead of the strike on CPR. They will spend several weeks visiting in Crossfield.

Mesdames Fraser, Hesketh and Casey spent Tuesday afternoon at the Lilly home at one table of bridge. Mrs. Fraser was the lucky player.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Woods spent a short holiday fishing at Pine Lake. They were accompanied by their young son Bobby who reported "lots and lots of fish," and a swell time.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Bannister and Neil spent several days motoring through Spokane, Coeur d'Alene Glacier and Waterton National Parks.

Mrs. Keith Bannister, accompanied by her parents of Seba spent the week-end with her sister at Rocky Mountain House.

Mr. and Mrs. Munby and family are spending a vacation with the latter's parents at Origo. We understand that Mr. L. McDougal has been given the teaching for living quarters. How come Len?

Mrs. P. I. MacInally has been suffering from a leg injury. We wish her a speedy recovery.

Miss Carol High, daughter of

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton High, has been awarded a silver medal for Alberta Grade 3 piano as a result of recent examinations and this girl is to be congratulated for her merits. We are all very proud to have such ability in our district and wish for her continued success, fully realizing that achievement of this kind takes lots of concentrated effort in practice.

Steve John Timmins has applied for a licence to sell beer in the Oliver hotel which has been sold by Mr. Bowen.

Mrs. Merl Jones, formerly of Crossfield, has just lost her sister-in-law, Mrs. Willis Gross, who in turn was the daughter of the late Dr. Powell whose sermons many have enjoyed in past years at various special occasions in the United Church.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Howey are rejoicing in the birth of another son Donald John, in the Clarendon hospital. J. B. is the elder son of Rev. and Mrs. J. V. Howey, formerly of the United Church in town.

Mr. L. McDougal of the teaching staff of the local school, together with his parents and sister motored on a vacation to the coast. Now their car is tied up on a CPR ferry.

Mr. and Mrs. Ken Bowen have just returned from a fishing trip.

Mrs. Eileen Bills has returned from a short holiday at the lake.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Knight, parents of Mrs. C. D. Casey, who are enjoying a vacation at the home of their daughter and son-in-law, will be "at home" at the Casey farm Saturday, Sept. 9 from 2-5 p.m. and 7-9 p.m. in the evening. The occasion will be the celebration of their 50th wedding anniversary.

Miss Helen Willis is spending her holidays with her brother Percy, and friends at Turner Valley.

Jack Massey has purchased the work-shop from Mrs. Culbert and is busy converting it into a garage at the rear of his residence here in town.

Miss Annie Smart is renewing acquaintances in town while visiting her brother Charles and sister-in-law Elita and the family.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Fleming were in town on Friday the 25th where they met George and Marlon Fleming and family from Gokenlock, Sask. They all journeyed to Stettler, the home of the senior Flemings.

Chas. Mayman and Hughie McIntyre are anticipating a short trip to the coast where they will call on several of Crossfield's former residents.

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STRIKE HITS DISTRICT FARMERS

Farmers in the districts surrounding South Edmonton were having some difficulty getting their perishable produce shipped to market a recent survey has indicated.

District produce depots in some instances were unable to handle the volume of produce and the farmers carried it home again.

Most stores were reported well stocked and there was no immediate indication that there would

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Children Receive First Communion At Beiseker

BEISEKER. — During the past week the children of St. Mary's parish who were preparing for their First Holy Communion were very fortunate in having classes in the town school arranged by Fr. Tennant and conducted by Mrs. N. J. Velker. On Sunday, Aug. 27, nine little girls and 12 little boys made their first Communion.

On this Sunday, also, Fr. Tennant gave out his prizes for Christian Doctrine to those coming highest in the tests and general conduct during the school year. They were as follows:

Grade I, Dale Zacher; grade II, Elsie Sempovich; grade III, Johnny Richter; grade IV, Rose Marie Meldinger; grade V, Jeanette Schwartzberger; grade VI, Bernice Schmaltz; grade VII, Bernice Hagel; grade VIII, Jack Bettin; high school, Raymond Schwartzberger and Jimmy Hagel.

Council Meetings

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CROSSFIELD



PUBLIC NOTICE

By the Board of Trustees of The Olds School Division, No. 31, of the Province of Alberta.

Whereas it is deemed expedient by the Board of Trustees of the Olds School Division, No. 31, of the Province of Alberta, that the sum of \$330,000.00 should be borrowed on the security of the said Division by the issue of Debentures repayable to the bearer in 20 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at the rate of not more than six per centum per annum for the following purposes, namely:

Building a 10-roomed brick and tile school, with auditorium in Didsbury, a 6-roomed brick and tile school with auditorium in Carstairs, and to purchase and install in the said schools heating plants, plumbing, and electrical work.

Therefore, notice is hereby given by the Board of the said School Division that unless a poll of the proprietary electors of the said School Division for and against the said debenture loan is demanded as provided by The School Act, the said Board will apply to the Board of Public Utility Commissioners for authority to borrow the said sum by debentures.

Of which all persons interested are hereby notified, and they are required to govern themselves accordingly.

WM. H. DAVIES (Chairman).
Dated at Didsbury, Alberta, this 15th day of August, 1950.

Instructions to Proprietary Electors in a School Division

A poll may be demanded in a School Division by a demand signed by five proprietary electors of each of at least twenty per cent of the districts in the division.

Every demand for a poll must be delivered to the Secretary of the Division or District or, in his absence, to the Chairman of the Board of Trustees, within fifteen days after the date of posting or of the last publication in a newspaper of this notice. A certified copy of the demand must be forwarded forthwith to the Board of Public Utility Commissioners of Alberta at Edmonton.

"Proprietary elector" means any elector, other than a tenant, who is liable to assessment and taxation for school purposes of any property situate in a School Division.